



## MINISTRY OF FINANCE

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Independence Square  
PORT OF SPAIN  
June 11, 2002

Mr. Donald Berment  
45, River Estate Circular,  
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DIEGO MARTIN

Dear Sir,

**Application for Registration as a Charitable Organization-**  
**Men Against Violence Against Women (M.A.V.A.W)**

I refer to your application to the Chairman, Board of Inland Revenue for the captioned organization to be registered as a Charitable Body in accordance with the provisions of Section 6(1) (g) of the Corporation Tax Act, Chapter 75:02.


I am to advise that the Honourable Minister of Finance has granted the necessary approval.

Accordingly, the Men Against Violence Against Women (M.A.V.A.W.) is now exempt from the payment of Corporation Tax.

The following stipulations are however drawn to your attention.

- (a) In accordance with Section 76(3) (d) of the Income Tax Act, Chapter 75:01, the organization is required to file returns for every year of income.
- (b) Section 6(1) (g) of the Corporation Tax, Chapter 75:02 states that the tax exemption does not apply to profits derived from trade or business carried out by the organization.

Yours faithfully

  
/s/ Permanent Secretary  
Ministry of Finance